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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Andrew C. Gilbert
Application No. : 09/995,698
Confirmation No. : 2615
Filed : November 29, 2001
For : SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR LINKING BIDS
AND OFFERS IN A TRADING INTERFACE
Group Art Unit : 2161

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicant requests that the time for filing a Reply to the December 14, 2001 Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application in the above-identified application be extended for a period of five months, from February 14, 2002 up to and including July 14, 2002.

A check in the amount of \$ 1,960.00, in payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(5), is submitted herewith. Please charge any underpayment, or credit any

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